

GLOSSARY

AA	assembly area	AI	air interdiction
A²C²	Army airspace command and control	aja	adjacent
AASLT	air assault	ALO	air liaison officer
AATF	air assault task force	ALOC	air line of communications
AATFC	air assault task force commander	alt	alternate
AAVN	Army aviation	AMB/amb	air mission brief; ambulance
AAWS-M	antiarmor weapons system-medium	AMC	air mission command
ABC	air battle captain	AMLS	airspace management liaison section
ABMOC	air battle management operations center	AMT	air movement table
AC	attack cargo	ANGLICO	air and naval gunfire liaison company
ACA	airspace control authority	AO	area of operations
ACC	air component commander	AOR	area of responsibility
ACE	analysis and control element	APERS	antipersonnel
ACO	airspace control order	APR	April
ACP	air control points; assault command post	AR	Army regulation
ACR	armored cavalry regiment	armd	armored
act	action	arty	artillery
AD	air defense	ASCC	Air Standardization Coordinating Committee
ADA	air defense artillery	aslt	assault
ADADO	assistant division air defense officer	ASOC	air support operations center
ADAO	assistant division aviation officer	ASPS	all source production system
ADC	area damage control	AT	antitank
ADC-O	assistant division commander for operations	ATACMS	Army tactical missile system
ADC-S	assistant division commander for support	ATC	air traffic control
ADE	assistant division engineer	atchd	attached
admin	administrative	ATIZ	artillery target intelligence zone
ADO	air defense officer	atk	attack
ADSO	assistant division signal officer	ATO	air tasking order
AF	Air Force	ATS	air traffic service
AFM	Air Force Manual	ATTN	attention
AFP	Air Force Publication	AVIM	aviation intermediate maintenance
AFSCOORD	assistant fire support coordinator	avn	aviation
AFSO	aerial fire support observer	BAE	brigade aviation element
AG	adjutant general	BCC	battlefield circulation control
AGM	attack guidance matrix	BCE	battlefield coordination element
AGOS	Air-Ground Operations School	BCOC	base cluster operations center
AH	attack helicopter	BDA	battle damage assessment
AHB	attack helicopter battalion	bde	brigade
		BDOC	base defense operations center
		BDZ	base defense zone
		BFV	Bradley fighting vehicle
		BHL	battle handover line
		bn	battalion

BOS	battlefield operating system	CP	command post
BP	battle position	CPX	command post exercise
BSA	brigade support area	CRC	control and reporting center
btl	battle	Cs	combat support
btry	battery	CSE	combat support equipment
C	cargo	CSG	corps support group
C²	command and control	CSR	controlled supply rate
C³	command, control, and communications	Css	combat service support
CA	civil affairs; combined arms	ctr	center
C&E	communications and electronics	(D)	draft
C&J	collection and jamming	DA	Department of the Army
CAC	Combined Arms Center	D³A	decide, detect and track, deliver, and assess
CAN	combat aviation net	decn	decision
CAS	close air support	decep	deception
cav	cavalry	decon	decontamination
cbt	combat	DF	disposition form
CBU	cluster bomb units	DFAC	dining facility
CCIR	commander's critical information requirements	DFSCOORD	deputy fire support coordinator
CCP	circulation control point	DISCOM	division support command
cdr	commander	div	division
CDS	container delivery system	DIVARTY	division artillery
CEOI	communications electronic operating instructions	DLIC	detachment left in contact
CFA	covering force area	DMCC	division movement control center
CFFZ	call-for-fire zone	DMMC	division materiel management center
CFL	coordinated fire line	DMOC	division medical operations center
CFZ	critical friendly zone	DNVT	digital network voice telephone
CG	commanding general	DP	decision point
CH	cargo helicopter	DPICM	dual-purpose, improved, conventional munitions (a weapons system)
CHS	combat health support (replaces health services support (HSS))	DRAGON	direct support
CI	civilian internee; counterintelligence	DS	division support area
CID	Criminal Investigation Division	DSA	division support template
CINC	commander in chief	DST	date-time group
cmd	command	DTG	division transportation officer
cml	chemical	DTO	drop zone
CNR	combat net radio	DZ	
co	company	EA	electronic attack; engagement area
COA	course of action	EAC	echelons above corps
Com	chief of staff	ECB	echelons corps and below
coll	collection	ECCM	electronic counter-countermeasures
COLT	combat observation/lasing team	ECM	electronic countermeasures
COMINT	communications intelligence	EOA	enemy course of action
CONPLAN	contingency plan		
coord	coordinate		
COSCOM	corps support command		

EEFI	essential elements of friendly information	FSE	fire support element
EH	electronic helicopter	FSO	fire support officer
ELINT	electronic intelligence	FSSP	fuel system supply point
ELSEC	electronic security	fwd	forward
enr	engineer	G1	assistant chief of staff, G1 (personnel)
EOD	explosive ordnance disposal	G2	assistant chief of staff, G2 (intelligence)
EP	electronic protection	G3	assistant chief of staff, G3 (operations and plans)
EPB	electronic preparation of the battlefield	G4	assistant chief of staff, G4 (logistics)
EPW	enemy prisoner of war	G5	assistant chief of staff, G5 (civil affairs)
equip	equipment	gp	group
ES	electronic warfare support	GPS	global positioning system
EW	electronic warfare	GS	general support
EWL	engineer work line	GS-R	general support-reinforcing
EWO	electronic warfare officer	GSR	ground surveillance radar
FA	field artillery	GTC	ground tactical commander
FAA	forward assembly area	HE	high explosive
FAAD	forward area air defense	hel	helicopter
FAIO	field artillery intelligence officer	HBB	headquarters and headquarters battery
FARE	forward area refueling equipment	HHC	headquarters and headquarters company
FARP	forward arming and refueling point	HHSC	headquarters and headquarters support company
FASCAM	family of scatterable mines	HIDACZ	high-density airspace control zone
FAX	facsimile	HIMAD	high- to medium-altitude air defense
FCM	fire control measures	HMMWV	high-mobility, multipurpose, wheeled vehicle
FDC	fire direction center	HN	host nation
FEBA	forward edge of the battle area	how (T)	howitzer (towed)
FFA	free fire area	HPT	high-payoff target
FFIR	friendly forces information requirements	HPTL	high-payoff target list
FIST	fire support team	HQ	headquarters
FLB	forward logistics base	HUMINT	human intelligence
FLE	forward logistics element	HVT	high-value target
FLOT	forward line of own troops	I&S	intelligence and surveillance
fm	from	ICM	improved conventional munitions
FM	field manual; frequency modulated	ID	identification
FNS	foreign national support	ID (L)	infantry division (light)
FOB	forward operations base	IEW	intelligence and electronic warfare
FPF	final protection fires		
FRAGO	fragmentary order		
FS	fire support		
FSB	forward support battalion		
FSCL	fire support coordination line		
FSCM	fire support coordination measure		
FSCoord	fire support coordinator		

IEWSE	intelligence and electronic warfare support element	LRST	long-range surveillance team
IMINT	imagery intelligence	LT	light
inf	infantry	LTACFIRE	lightweight tactical fire direction system
info	information	LZ	landing zone
intel	intelligence	M	mechanized
IP	initial point	maint	maintenance
IPB	intelligence preparation of the battlefield	MANPAD	man-portable air defense
IPW	interrogation of prisoners of war	MASH	mobile army surgical hospital
IR	information requirements	MBA	main battle area
ISB	intermediate staging base	MCO	movement control officer
JAAT	joint air attack team	MCOO	modified combined obstacle overlay
JFACC	joint force air component commander; joint force air coordination center	MCS	maneuver control system
JOC	joint operations center	mdm	medium
JP	joint publication	mech	mechanized
JSEAD	joint suppression of enemy air defense	med	medical
JSTARS	joint surveillance, target attack radar system	MEDEVAC	medical evacuation
JTF	joint task force	METT-T	mission, enemy, terrain, troops, and time available
km	kilometer	MI	military intelligence
KS	Kansas	MIJI	meaconing, intrusion, jamming, and interference
L	light	MLRS	multiple-launch rocket system
laager	a camp with a defensive barrier	mm	millimeter
LAB	logistics assault base	MMC	materiel management center
LAPES	low-altitude parachute extraction system	MOPP	mission-oriented protective posture
LBE	load-bearing equipment	mort	mortar
LC	line of contact	MOS	military occupational specialty
LD	line of departure	MOUT	military operations on urbanized terrain
LEC	law enforcement command	MP	military police
LLTR	low-level transit route	mph	miles per hour
LLVI	low-level voice intercept	MRB	motorized rifle battalion
LO	liaison officer	MRR	minimum-risk route; motorized rifle regiment
LOA	logistics operations area	M/S	mobility/survivability
LOB	lines of bearing	MSB	main support battalion
LOC	lines of communication	MSC	major subordinate command
LOGPAC	logistics package	MSE	mobile subscriber equipment
LOGSEC	logistics security	MSR	main supply route
LOS	line of sight; lines of supply	MTF	medical treatment facility
LP	listening post	mvr	maneuver
LRS	long-range surveillance	N/A	not applicable
LRSD	long-range surveillance detachment	NAI	named area of interest
		NALE	naval aviation liaison element
		NATO	North Atlantic Treaty Organization

nav	navigation	Quick Fix	(tactical heliborne communications intercept, direction finding, ECM system)
NBC	nuclear, biological, and chemical		
NCA	National Command Authority	R	reinforcing; reserve
NCO	noncommissioned officer	RAG	regimental artillery group
NCS	net control station	R&S	reconnaissance and security
NEO	noncombatant evacuation operation	RAA	rear assembly area
NET	new equipment training	RAP	rocket-assisted projectile
NFA	no fire area	RECCE	(reconnaissance aircraft mission (USAF))
NGF	naval gun fire		reconnaissance
NLT	not later than	recon	remotely monitored battlefield sensor system
no.	number	REMBASS	reserve
NOE	nap-of-earth	res	restrictive fire area
NVD	night vision device	RFA	restrictive fire line
		RFL	reconnaissance, intelligence, surveillance, and target acquisition
obj	objective	RISTA	rules of engagement
OCOKA	observation and fields of fire, cover and concealment, obstacles, key terrain, avenues of approach		restricted operations zone
		ROE	release point
OFA	obstacle-free area	ROZ	remotely piloted vehicle
OH	observation helicopter	RP	reconnaissance, surveillance, and target acquisition
OIC	officer in charge	RPV	route
O/O	on order	RSTA	
OOTW	operations other than war	rt	
OP	observation post; operation(s)		
OPCON	operational control	(s)	secret
OPLAN	operation plan	S1	adjutant
OPORD	operation order	S2	intelligence officer
OPSEC	operations security	S3	operations and training officer
OPTEMPO	operational tempo	S4	supply officer
ORA	obstacle-restricted area	S5	civil affairs officer
		SAAFR	standard-use Army aircraft flight route
PIR	priority intelligence requirement	SEAD	suppression of enemy air defenses
PIREP	pilot report		
PL	phase line	sec	section
plt	platoon	SICPS	standardized integrated command post system
PM	provost marshal		signal
POL	petroleum, oils, and lubricants	sig	signal intelligence
pos	position	SIGINT	situation report
PP	passage point	SITREP	staff judge advocate
preps	prepares	SJA	smoke
PSYOP	psychological operations	smk	signal officer; signal operations
pt(s)	point(s)	so	special operations command and control elements
PZ	pick-up zone	SOCCE	special operations forces
			signal operation instructions
Quick Fire	(radio net established by HQ to receive priority fires)	SOF	
		SOI	

SOP	standing operating procedure	TOT	time on target
SOR	specific orders and requests	TOW	tube-launched, optically tracked, wire-guided, heavy antitank missile system
SP	self-propelled, start point		
SPOTREP	spot report	TRADOC	US Army Training and Doctrine Command
spt	support	trk	truck
sqd	squad	TRP	target reference point
sqdn	squadron	TSOP	tactical standing operating procedure
SR	supply route	TSS	target selection standard
STATREP	status report	TTP	tactics, techniques, and procedures
STON	short ton	TVA	target-value analysis
SUPPT	supply point		
T	towed; ton	(u)	unclassified
TA	transmission analysis	UAV	unmanned aerial vehicle
TAA	tactical assembly area	UBL	unit basic load
tac	tactical	UH	utility helicopter
TACAIR	tactical air	UN	United Nations
TACC	tactical air control center	US/U.S.	United States
TACFIRE	tactical fire direction system	USA	United States Army
TACON	tactical control	USAF	United States Air Force
TACP	tactical air control party	USMC	United States Marine Corps
TACSAT	tactical satellite	USN	United States Navy
TAD	target acquisition detachment	UW	unconventional warfare
TAF	tactical air force		
TAI	target area of interest	V/S	Vulcan/Stinger
TALO	tactical airlift liaison officer		
TAR	tactical air reconnaissance	W/	with
TCF	tactical combat force	w	wheeled
TCP	traffic control point	WFZ	weapons-free zone
TDA	target damage assessment	WCS	weapons control status
TE	threat evaluation	WO	warning order
TF	task force	WWI	World War I
tgt	target	WWII	World War H
THREATCON	threat condition	WX	weather
TI	threat integration		
TLP	troop-leading procedure	XO	executive officer
tm	team		
tn	train		
TOC	tactical operations center		
TOE	table of organization and equipment		
topo	topography		